



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Confirmation No. 5154  
John. F. Boone Group Art Unit: 3714  
Application Number: 11/375,135 Examiner: Kang Hu  
Filed: February 6, 2004 Attorney Docket No.: 026096-00006  
For: AUTHORIZING TOOL AND METHOD OF USE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 19, 2007

Sir:

In reply to the June 18, 2007 Office Action, the period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2;  
and

Remarks begin on page 6.

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